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1985 (SIXTIETH) SPRING OCCURRENCE REPORT

Two hundred ninety-two species, plus Clark's Nutcracker, for which no specific dates were reported, and Lapland Longspur, which was not recorded, are listed in this report, from 22 locations. The comparable figures for 1984 are 293 and one possible, from 13 locations; 1983 288 and 2 possibles from 13; and 1982 287 from 15 locations.

The numbered columns are essentially spot checks, all (except for one entry) in the spring. The average reader can just take any symbol shown as indicating that the species was recorded in that area in the spring; those who want to know more definitely the time and place can use the symbols given below. Note that a specific symbol has different meanings in the different columns.

1. Northwest Corner. 85 species. a = species reported by Babs and Loren Padelford in southern Sioux Co. 26 May 1985; b = species recorded in Dawes Co. 7 and 8 June by Tanya Bray; B = both b and c; and c = species recorded 8 and 9 June in Sioux Co. by Mrs. Bray, primarily in the northern part.

2. Kimball Co. 58 species. d = records in Kimball Co. 25 and 26 May by the Padelfords, and e = records there by Mrs. Bray 9 and 10 June.

3. Cherry and Sheridan counties. 70 species. x = records by Jim Ducey at Anderson Bridge Wildlife Management Area, northcentral Cherry Co., 14-16 June; y = records at Smith Lake WMA, central Sheridan Co. by Mr. Ducey 19 and 20 June; and Y = both x and y. Mr. Ducey noted that the Red-headed Woodpecker, Black-and-white Warbler, Ovenbird, and Indigo Bunting are at the western edge of their range at Anderson Bridge, and that they and the Long-billed Curlew, Great Crested Flycatcher, and Yellow-breasted Chat were not noted by him there in 1983.

4. Keith Co. 65 species. f = records in Keith Co. 25 to 28 June by the Padelfords. The Scoter was seen on Keystone Lake, Cedar Point Biological Station. It was slightly larger than the Redheads it was with; dark overall, with light gray belly; white wing patch visible when preening; low profile in water; head rather flattish looking, sloping to a long bill, which was dark with approximately 1/3 - 1/2 yellow at tip, and very broad at tip; dark eye; no white markings visible on face. According to R. C. Rosche, the bird wintered there.

5. Brown and Blaine and Thomas counties. 55 species. g = Brown Co. 22 and 23 June by Mrs. Bray; h = Blaine and Thomas counties 7 June, i = the same counties 23 June, both by Mrs. Bray; I = both g and i.

6. Keya Paha and Rock counties, 71 species, by Mr. Ducey. A = both R and T; b = both m and t; B = both M and T; m = Mariaville, northeast Rock Co. 25-26 April; M = Mariaville 11-13 June; K = both t and T; R = both m and M; t = Thomas Creek WMA, southern Keya Paha Co. 25 April; and T = the same area 13-14 June.

7. Knox Co. 60 species. d = records by Mr. Ducey at Bohemia Prairie WMA and vicinity 8-10 June; k = records for Knox Co. 22 June by Mrs. Bray; and K both d and k.

8. Cass Co. 77 species. a = Mrs. Gertrude Wood's report of a flock of 150 or so Brewer's Blackbirds on Highway 34 near Elmwood the first week in January; b = 15 April; c = 24-28 April, and C = a second record in that period; d = 5 and 6 May; e = 22 June; and f = 25 June; all by Mrs. Ruth Green.

9. Southeast Corner 90 species. Reports by the Padelfords and Mrs. Bray as follows:

| | | l | m | n | o | p |
|------------|-----|------|------|------|---------|------|
| Gage | P+B | | | | 6/18 | |
| Johnson | B | | 5/19 | 5/31 | 6/18 | 6/25 |
| Otoe | P | 5/12 | | | 6/16,18 | |
| Pawnee | B | | 5/19 | 5/31 | | 6/25 |
| | P | 5/12 | | | | 6/25 |
| Richardson | P | 5/12 | | | | 6/25 |

The symbols used in the regular columns are:

Ja, Fe, Mr. Ap, My, and Je for the months.

NR for species which the reporter feels sure are there, but has no records

| | Scotts | | | | | | | | Lin- | | Howard | | | | Lan- | | Saun- | | Doug. | | | |
|---------------------------|--------|---------------|----------------|--------|-------|---|---|--------------------|----------------|---------------|--------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|----------|
| | 1 | Sioux | Bluff | 2 | Dawes | 3 | 4 | McPh. | coln | 5 | 6 | Hall | Adams | 7 | Boone | Polk | caster | ders | Dakota | Sarpy | 8 | 9 |
| Common Loon | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 4 Je 14 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 4 | My 1 | b | - |
| Pied-billed Grebe | - | Ap 18 | - | e | - | - | f | My 2 Je 30 | - | - | - | Ap 5 | - | - | Ap 19 My 30 | Ap 7 | Mr 9 Je 30 | - | Mr*15 Je 8 | Mr 9 Je 8 | - | m |
| Horned Grebe | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 14 | - | - |
| Red-neck. Gr. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 16 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Eared Grebe | - | Ap 6 | My 25 | d | - | - | - | My 2 Je 30 | Ap 22 Ap 28 | - | - | - | - | - | My 29 My 30 | Ap 14 | Ap 13 My 11 | - | Ap 19 | - | - | - |
| Western Grebe | - | My 1 | My 25 | d e | - | - | y | f My 22 Je x | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| American White Pelican | - | Ap 24 My 5 | Ap 5 Ap 27 | - | - | - | y | f Je x | Ap 16 My 10 | - | m | Ap 27 | - | - | - | Ap 28 My 19 | Mr 30 Ap 24 | - | Ap 15 My 11 | Ap 10 Ap 15 | - | - |
| Double-crest. Cormorant | - | My 5 Je 27 | Ap 4 | - | - | - | y | - | Ap 4 Je 10 | - | - | Ap 27 | - | - | Ap 19 | Mr 2 Je 1 | Mr 30 My 21 | Ap 6 | Ap 17 My 11 | Ap 3 My 20 | c | - |
| American Bittern | - | - | - | - | - | - | y | - | Je 10 | - | - | My 2 Je 29 | - | - | My 4 Je 30 | - | - | - | Ap 26 My 20 | - | - | - |
| Least Bittern | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 16 | - | Je 8 | - | - | - |
| Great Blue Heron | a | Ap 18 | P | e | - | - | Y | f Je 30 | My 15 Je 30 | Ja 4 Je 30 | h i | R Je 27 | Mr 19 Je 14 | My 11 Je 30 | d My 7 | Ap 19 Je 30 | Ja 13 Ap 18 | Ap 7 Je 30 | Fe 23 - S | Ap 4 Ap 5 | Ap 1 - S | - l p |
| Great Egret | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Snowy Egret | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 26 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Little Blue Heron | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 19 Je 21 | - | - |
| Cattle Egret | - | - | Ap 19 Ap 20 | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 26 My 9 | - | m | Ap 29 Je 14 | My 11 Je 14 | - | - | Ap 19 | Ap 27 | - | Ap 19 | Ap 13 My 20 | - | o |
| Green-backed Heron | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 10 | - | M | Ap 29 Je 10 | My 3 My 14 | - | My 4 | My 5 - S | Ap 27 Je 30 | Ap 20 - S | My 8 - S | My 1 Je 15 | f | l |
| Black-crowned Night-Heron | - | My 29 | NR | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 2 My 25 | - | - | Ap 28 | - | Ap 19 My 6 | - | Ap 22 | My 18 | - | - |
| Yc Night-Heron | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 17 | - | - | - |
| Tundra Swan | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | note | - | - | - | - | Mr 3 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Trumpeter Sw. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

for this period.
P to indicate a species which is present all the year, although the same individuals may not be present during the whole year, and the numbers may vary greatly during the year.
(p) for species which would be reported as P, except that insufficient or no actual dates are given.
- S to indicate a species which remained after 30 June, but the showing of a late June date instead of - S does not necessarily mean that the species

did not remain.

W - to indicate a species which was reported as present before 1 January.
 W - S indicates much the same thing as P, but is used in cases for which the pattern is not always true.

x is used instead of a date when the specific date is not given.
 * to indicate a comment in the locality comments.

Two dates indicate the first and last records for the location.
 The information is presented in a rough west (left) to east (right) order.

| | Scotts | | | | | | Lin- | Howard | | | | Lan- | | Saun- | Doug. | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---|-------|--------|-------|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|---|
| | 1 | Sioux | Bluff | 2 | Dawes | 3 | 4 | McPh. | coln | 5 | 6 | Hall | Adams | 7 | Boone | Polk | caster | ders | Dakota | Sarpy | 8 | 9 |
| Great. White-fronted Goose | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Fe 27 | Fe x | - | Mr 9 | Mr 2 | Fe 19 | Mr 16 | Mr 10 | Mr 10 | - | - |
| Snow Goose | - | Mr 23 | Mr 25 | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 22 | - | - | - | Ap 2 | - | Je 24 | Ap 5 | Mr 30 | Mr 16 | Mr 16 | Mr 7 | W | - |
| | | | Ap 3 | | | | | | Ap 1 | | | | Ap x | - | Ap 9 | Ap 5 | Je 20 | Mr 15 | Ap 28 | My 11 | | |
| Canada Goose | - | (P) | P | d | - | - | - | - | Ja 2 | - | - | W - | Fe x | - | Fe 3 | Mr 2 | P | Mr 2 | Mr 7 | W - | - | O |
| | | | e | | | | | | My 10 | | - | Mr 20 | Ap x | - | Ap 9 | Ap 7 | | Ap 2 | My 11 | | | |
| Wood Duck | - | My 21 | Mr 30 | - | - | Y | - | - | Mr 15 | - | R | Mr 10 | - | - | Fe 3 | Mr 7 | Mr 16 | Mr 2 | Mr 8 | Mr 10 | - | - |
| | | | Je 30 | | | | | | Je 4 | | Je 15 | | | | Je 30 | - | S | Je 30 | - | S | - | S |
| Green-winged Teal | - | Mr 10 | Mr 2 | d | - | - | - | - | Mr 18 | - | - | - | - | - | W - | Mr 24 | Mr 9 | Mr 16 | Mr 7 | Mr 7 | - | - |
| | | | Ap 23 | e | | | | | My 13 | | | | | | Ap 28 | Ap 7 | Je 22 | Ap 6 | My 25 | My 11 | | |
| American Black Duck | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 12 | - | Mr 30 | Ja 1 | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Ap 6 | | | |
| Mallard | - | (P) | P | d | - | y | f | My 2 | Ja 4 | i | b | Mr 29 | Fe 20 | - | p* | Mr 2 | P | W - | W - | W - | - | 1 |
| | | | e | | | | | Je 30 | Je 30 | | | Ap 29 | Je 30 | | | - | S | Ap 6 | My 25 | Je 20 | | |
| Northern Pintail | - | Mr 11 | Mr 9 | d | - | - | - | My 22 | Mr 15 | - | - | Fe 27 | Fe x | - | Fe 3 | Mr 2 | W - | Mr 16 | Mr 7 | Ap 1 | - | - |
| | | | Ap 3 | | | | | Je 30 | Mr 23 | | | Ap 3 | Je 30 | | Je 30 | - | S | Ap 21 | Ap 6 | Ap 14 | | |
| Blue-winged Teal | - | Ap 19 | Ap 27 | d | - | y | f | My 2 | Mr 18 | - | R | Ap 6 | Fe x | - | Mr 12 | Ap 7 | Mr 17 | Ap 6 | Mr 26 | Mr 31 | c | - |
| | | | My 25 | e | | | | Je 30 | Je 13 | | | | Je 30 | | Je 30 | - | S | Je 30 | My 25 | My 20 | Je 20 | |
| Cinnamon Teal | - | My 21 | My 25 | d | - | - | - | - | Mr 15 | - | - | - | Je 14 | - | - | - | Je 2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | Je 29 | | | | | | Ap 26 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern Shoveler | - | Ap 20 | Mr 28 | - | - | - | - | My 2 | Mr 15 | - | - | Ap 6 | Fe x | - | Mr 12 | Mr 14 | Mr 9 | - | Mr 7 | Mr 17 | c | - |
| | | | My 25 | | | | | Je 30 | Ap 14 | | | | Je 30 | | Je 30 | My 24 | Je 2 | | Ap 29 | My 11 | | |
| Gadwall | - | Ap 10 | Mr 28 | - | - | f | - | - | Mr 15 | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 12 | Mr 7 | Mr 2 | Mr 16 | Mr 7 | W - | c | - |
| | | | Ap 11 | | | | | | Ap 11 | | | | | | Ap 6 | Mr 24 | Je 2 | Ap 6 | My 11 | Ap 14 | C | |
| Eurasian Wigeon | - | - | Mr 28 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | Ap 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| American Wigeon | - | Mr 11 | Fe 28 | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 19 | - | - | - | - | - | Fe 3 | Mr 2 | Ja 1 | Ap 6 | Mr 9 | Mr 14 | - | - |
| | | | Ap 10 | My 25 | | | | | Ap 17 | | | | | | Ap 19 | Ap 7 | Ap 13 | Ap 13 | Ap 13 | My 11 | | |
| Canvasback | - | Ap 1 | Mr 28 | - | - | - | - | My 2 | Ap 5 | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 12 | - | Mr 2 | - | Mr 7 | Mr 9 | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Mr 9 | | Ap 18 | Ap 14 | | |
| Redhead | - | Mr 23 | Mr 9 | - | - | f | My 14 | Mr 22 | - | - | Mr 1 | Ap 2 | - | Mr 12 | Mr 7 | Mr 2 | - | Mr 7 | Ap 1 | - | - | |
| | | | Ap 10 | My 25 | | | | Ap 2 | | | | Je 19 | | My 24 | Mr 14 | Mr 17 | | Ap 3 | Ap 3 | | | |
| Ring-necked Duck | - | Ap 10 | Ap 23 | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 18 | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 12 | Mr 7 | Mr 2 | - | Mr 7 | Mr 9 | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Mr 17 | Mr 24 | Ap 7 | | Ap 13 | Ap 3 | | |

Adams, Hastings, 89 + (23) species, Miss Bernice Welch, reporter, Elizabeth Benson, Viasta Butler, Eisie Helzer, Esther Kennedy, Dorothy Marsh. Esther Kennedy reported a flock of about 500 Pinnails seen 2 April, perhaps

| | Scotts | | | | | | | Linn- | Howard | | | | Lan- | Saun- | Doug. | | | |
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| | 1 Sioux | Bluff | 2 Dawes | 3 4 | McPh. | | | coln | 5 6 | Hall | Adams | 7 Boone | Polk | caster | derson | Dakota | Sarpy | 8 9 |
| Greater Scaup | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 15 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Lesser Scaup | - Ap | 3 Mr 28 My 25 | - | - | f | - | - | Mr 18 Je 10 | - | Mr 29 Ap 2 | - | - Mr 12 | Mr 7 | Mr* 2 | - | Mr 7 | Mr 2 | - |
| White-w Scoter | - | - | - | - | f | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 24 | Ap 21 | - | Ap 26 | My 5 | - |
| Common Goldeneye | - | - | Fe 9 | - | - | - | - | Ja 8 Ja 12 | - | Fe 19 | - | - Fe 3 | - | W | - | Mr 9 | Ja 1 | - |
| Bufflehead | - | - | Ap 11 | - | - | - | - | Mr 22 Ap 5 | - | - | - | - Ap 6 | - | Ap 7 Ap 21 | - | Mr 30 Ap 12 | Mr 12 Ap 14 | - |
| Hooded Merganser | - | - | Fe 9 Fe 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | W | - | Mr 8 | Mr 8 | - |
| Common Merganser | - | - | Fe 23 Ap 3 | - | - | - | - | Ja 6 Ja 12 | - | Fe 19 | - | - Mr 12 | Mr 2 | W | - | Mr 7 | W | - |
| Red-breasted Merganser | - | - | Fe 9 Ap 23 | - | - | f | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 26 | Mr 27 | - |
| Ruddy Duck | - | - | - | - | y f | My 2 Je 30 | - | Ap 11 | - | - | Je 14 | - | Ap 11 | Mr 9 | - | My 11 | Mr 28 | - |
| Turkey Vulture | B (P) | Ap 9 Je 30 | - My 25 Je 30 | x - | - | - | - | My 10 Je 11 | h K | My 25 Je 10 | - | - My 4 | - | Ap 7 Je 8 | - | Ap 11 | Mr 20 | c 1 |
| Osprey | - | - | Fe 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 23 | - | - | My 9 | Ap 13 | c - |
| Miss. Kite | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 30 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Bald Eagle | - Mr 18 | Ja 3 Mr 1 | - Mr 10 Je 30 | - | - | - | - | W Mr 18 | - W | - | - | W - | W - | Mr 2 | W - | W - | W - | - |
| Northern Harrier | - (P) | Ap 6 Je 27 | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 8 Ap 2 | - W | (P) Je 10 | - | Fe 3 | W - | W - | Ap 13 | W - | Ap 3 | - |
| Sharp-shinned Hawk | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Fe 9 | - | - | Fe 10 | - Mr 4 | Mr 2 | Fe 2 | - | Fe 11 | Ap 11 | - |
| Cooper's Hawk | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | W - | Ja 19 | Ap 20 | - | - | - |
| Red-shouldered Hawk | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 11 Je 17 | - |
| Broad-winged Hawk | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | t | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 4 | Ap 28 | - |
| Swainson's Hawk | a Ap 18 c | Mr 7 d My 25 e | - | - | - | My 2 Je 30 | - | Mr 18 Je 10 | i - | Mr 21 Ap 25 | My 4 Je 30 | - Ap 6 | Ap 7 | My 2 My 5 | - | - | Ap 2 e Ap 29 | - |

| | Scotts | | | | | | | | Lin- | | Howard | | Lan- | | Saun- | | Doug. | |
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| | 1 Sioux | Bluff | 2 Dawes | 3 4 | McPh. | coln | 5 6 | Hall | Adams | 7 Boone | Polk | caster | ders | Dakota | Sarpy | 8 9 | | |
| Red-tailed Hawk | B Ap 21 | P d | Ja 5 x f | - | Ja 4 h b | P | (P) | d | P | P | P | P | P | P | P | c l | | |
| Ferruginous Hawk | b My 4 | My 25 d | - - - | - | My 25 I M | - | - - - | - | - | W - | - | - | - | - | - | f p | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | Mr 14 | | | | | | | | |
| Rough-legged Hawk | - Mr 18 | - - - | - - - | - | Ja 4 - - | W - | - | - | W - | W - | Ja 2 | Mr 13 | - | - | - | - | | |
| Golden Eagle | c (P) | (P) | - NR | - - - | Ap 16 | Ap 10 | - - - | Fe 10 | - | W - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| | | | | | | Mr 29 | | | | Ja 5 | | | | | | | | |
| American Kestrel | B (P) | P | - Fe 7 | - - - | P | g - | P | (P) | d | P | Fe 22 | P | - | P | P | c l | | |
| Merlin | c - | W - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 7 | Fe 22 | Mr 17 | Fe 23 | - Ap 2 | f o | | |
| | | Ja 31 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | - | | |
| Peregrine Falcon | - - | - - - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - | - | Mr 2 | - | Fe 23 | - | My 18 | - - | | |
| Prairie Falcon | c Ap 10 | P | - - - | - | Ja 3 - - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 7 | - | Ja 19 | - | - | - | | |
| | | | | | Ap 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gray Partridge | - - | - - - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - | P | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| R-n. Pheasant | - (P) | P | d - y f | - | (P) | I R | P | (P) | - | P | P | P | Mr 23 | P | P | c l | | |
| | | | e | | | | | | | | | | - S | | | f o | | |
| Greater Prairie-Chicken | - - | - - - | - - - | - | (P) | - - | Fe 15 | - | - | P | Ja 27 | - | - | - | - | - l | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | Mr 14 | | | | | n | | |
| Sharp-tail Gr. | - (P) | - d NR | - - - | - | - - - | - | - - | - | - | p | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Wild Turkey | b (P) | P | - Fe 2 x | - | - - B | P | - | d | P* | - | - | Ap 20 | - | P | c - | | | |
| | | | Je 30 | | | | | | | | | Je 30 | | | C | | | |
| No. Bobwhite | - (P) | (P) | - Je 10 x | - | Mr 2 - - | Fe 10 | (P) | - | P | P | P | - | - | P | f l | | | |
| | | | Je 30 | | Ap 19 | Je 30 | | | | | | | | | p | | | |
| King Rail | - - | - - - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - - | - | - | - | - | Je 12 | - | - | - | - | | |
| Sora | - - | - - - | - x - | - | - - M | - | - | - | - | My 4 | - | Ap 27 | - | Ap 24 | - | - | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | Je 30 | | My 4 | | My 1 | | | | |
| Common Moorhen | - - | - - - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - - - | - | - | - | - | Je 12 | - | - | - | - | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | Je 22 | | | | | | |
| American Coot | - Ap 10 | My 25 d | - - f | My 2 | Ap 22 | - - | Mr 29 | Mr 15 | - Ap 15 | Ap 7 | Mr 2 | - | Mr 10 | Mr 28 | d - | | | |
| | | e | | Je 30 | Je 10 | | Ap 29 | Je 30 | Je 30 | Ap 14 | Je 30 | | - S | - S | | | | |

60 Least Sandpipers 3 June, and a large flock of Franklin's Gulls 4 May. He saw a partial albino (pallidino colored) hen Mallard 23 February. He found out that the flock of Turkeys that he thought had died out actually had 2 survivors, and he found another flock. He has found a place for shorebirds - a rainwater basin up in the hills that he didn't know about. According to residents it is about the fullest it has been in 30 years.

Dakota, South Sioux City, 168 + 8 NR species, Bill Huser, reporter.

Annual Meeting, by the 4-H Club parking lot. by W. C. Garthright. His

| | Scotts | | | | Lin- | | | | Howard | | | | Lan- | | | | Saun- | | | | Doug. | | | |
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| | 1 | Sioux | Bluff | 2 | Dawes | 3 | 4 | McPh. | coln | 5 | 6 | Hall | Adams | 7 | Boone | Polk | caster | ders | Dakota | Sarpy | 8 | 9 | | |
| Western Sandp. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 8 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Least Sandpiper | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 10 | - | - | - | Je 3 | - | My 7 | Mr 24 | Ap 21 | - | Ap 24 | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 22 | Je 2 | My 25 | | My 11 | | | | | | |
| White-rumped Sandpiper | - | - | - | - | - | - | f | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 16 | My 24 | My 4 | - | My 11 | My 5 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 22 | | Je 1 | | My 25 | Je 1 | | | | | |
| Baird's Sandpiper | - | - | My 22 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 4 | Ap 13 | Ap 13 | - | Mr 30 | Mr 29 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 12 | | My 11 | Je 1 | | | | | |
| Pectoral Sandpiper | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 29 | Ap 7 | Ap 21 | - | Mr 30 | Mr 31 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 24 | My 25 | | My 11 | My 22 | | | | | |
| Dunlin | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 26 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Stilt Sandpiper | - | - | - | - | - | - | f | - | My 20 | - | - | - | - | - | My 15 | My 24 | My 4 | - | My 13 | My 11 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 22 | | My 12 | | | My 22 | | | | | |
| Buff-breasted Sandpiper | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 15 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 26 | | | | | | | | | |
| Short-b. Dow. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 30 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 14 | - | - | - | - |
| Dowitcher sp. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 21 | My 11 | - | Mr 30 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Long-billed Dowitcher | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 14 | My 9 | - | - | - | - | - | My 15 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 16 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Common Snipe | - | Ap 18 | My 25 | - | - | - | - | - | Fe 5 | - | m | - | - | - | Ap 15 | Ap 14 | Ap 6 | Ap 6 | Mr 27 | Ap 14 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 4 | Ap 21 | My 2 | | Ap 19 | | | | | | |
| Am. Woodcock | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 16 | Je*15 | NR | My 18 | - | - | - | - |
| Wilson's Phalarope | a | My 5 | My 20 | d | - | - | f | My 20 | Ap 26 | - | - | My 25 | Je 14 | - | Ap 28 | My 23 | Ap 27 | - | My 11 | My 11 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | My 25 | e | | | | | Je 16 | | | | Je 30 | | My 4 | | My 25 | | My 25 | | | | | |
| Red-necked Phalarope | - | Je 28 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My*23 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | Je 30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Franklin's Gull | - | - | Ap 3 | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 17 | - | - | - | Ap 17 | - | Ap 19 | Ap 26 | Ap 13 | Ap 13 | Ap 18 | Mr 30 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | My 25 | | | | | | Je 10 | | | | My 4 | My 4 | My 23 | My 30 | | My 4 | My 19 | | | | | |
| Ring-billed Gull | - | My 10 | Mr 15 | e | - | y | f | - | Mr 18 | - | - | Fe 19 | Mr 15 | - | Ap 7 | Fe 22 | Mr 2 | Mr 13 | Mr 10 | Fe 27 | - | - | - | - |
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| Herring Gull | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Fe 19 | - | - | - | Mr 9 | - | Mr 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Caspian Tern | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 28 | My 21 | - | - | - | - |
| Common Tern | - | Ap 21 | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Forster's Tern | - | - | My 25 | - | - | - | - | - | Je 10 | - | m | My 4 | - | - | - | Ap*19 | Ap 27 | - | Ap 23 | My 5 | - | - | - | - |
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Rare Bird Report includes: "It had a wren shape and actions, but with an unusually long tail, which it flipped about and cocked at an angle. Its upperparts were grayish-brown; underparts completely white; and it had a bold white line above the eye. I could see the thin, curved bill when I saw the bird from one side, and as it changed locations, so that it faced away from me, I could see a great deal of white on the underside of the tail when it held the tail cocked up high. The white didn't seem to be in any clear-cut pattern, but looked rather mottled to me." Melba Wigg reported a rather large wave

of Eastern Bluebirds near her Gretna home 23 February. A Hermit Thrush and a Rufous-sided Towhee were seen in Fontenelle Forest the first part of January; for about a week around 17 January a Dickcissel came to the feeders at Neale Woods, in extreme northern Douglas Co.

Hall, see Howard.
Howard (and Hall), 118 species, Bill Schleicher, reporter, Tanya Bray, Leroy Burkman, Vera Coons, Gary Lingle, Helen Seim, George Stoppotte, Margaret Woodruff, Rick Wright. The Tundra Swan was seen at the Holiday

| | Scotts | | | | | | | Lin- | | Howard | | | | Lan- | | Saun- | | Doug. | | | | | |
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| | 1 | Sioux | Bluff | 2 | Dawes | 3 | 4 | McPh. | coln | 5 | 6 | Hall | Adams | 7 | Boone | Polk | caster | ders | Dakota | Sarpy | 8 | 9 | |
| Least Tern | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | d | - | - | - | My 20 | My 4 | My 17 | - | - | |
| Black Tern | - | My 10 | My 23 | e | - | y | - | My 13 | My 13 | - | - | - | Je 14 | - | My 18 | My 24 | My 15 | - | Je 8 | My 17 | - | - | |
| | | | My 25 | | | | | | | | | | | My 30 | | | My 20 | | | Je 8 | | | |
| Rock Dove | B | (P) | P | - | - | f | - | - | P | - | - | P | (P) | - | P | P | (P) | - | P | P | c | | |
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| Mourning Dove | a | Ap 2 | P | d | Ap 11 | Y | f | My 2 | Mr 18 | h | A | Ap 13 | (P) | K | Mr 14 | W | - | W | - | Mr 23 | Mr 22 | Mr 8 | c |
| | B | | | e | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | Je 10 | I | | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | - | S | - | S | - | S | - | S |
| Black-billed Cuckoo | - | - | - | - | - | Y | - | - | - | M | - | - | My 25 | - | - | - | - | My 20 | Je 10 | Je 5 | My 11 | - | |
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| Yellow-billed Cuckoo | - | My 25 | Je 16 | - | - | x | - | - | - | g | - | My 8 | My 25 | K | Je 5 | My 26 | My 15 | My 20 | Je 8 | My 4 | f | o | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | Je 30 | Je 30 | | Je 30 | | Je 30 | - | S | - | S | p | |
| Common Barn-Owl | - | - | Ap 11 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | P | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| | | | Je 29 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| E. Screech-Owl | - | - | P | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | (P) | - | P | - | (P) | - | NR | P | - | - | |
| Great Horned Owl | - | (P) | P | - | Ja 28 | x | - | - | (P) | - | R | P | (P) | d | P | P | (P) | P | P | P | b | - | |
| | | | | | Je 22 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Snowy Owl | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 22 | Ja 6 | - | - | - | - | - | |
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| Burrowing Owl | a | Mr 25 | Fe 3 | d | - | - | f | - | My 8 | i | - | My 10 | - | - | - | Ap 17 | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| | | | My 25 | e | | | | | Je 4 | | | Je 26 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Barred Owl | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | (P) | - | - | P | - | p | |
| Long-eared Owl | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 26 | - | - | Ap 1 | - | - | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Je 14 | | | Ap 14 | | | |
| Short-ear. Owl | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 27 | Je 20 | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Common Nighthawk | B | My 25 | My 26 | e | My 11 | y | f | My 21 | Je 16 | g | B | My 8 | My 18 | d | My 20 | My 26 | My 7 | My 20 | My 17 | My 3 | c | - | |
| | | | Je 27 | | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | | | | Je 24 | Je 30 | | | | Je 29 | Je 28 | - | S | - | o | |
| Common Poorwill | c | - | My 4 | - | Je 8 | - | - | - | - | - | T | - | - | d | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| | | | Je 24 | | Je 30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chuck-will's-widow | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 4 | - | o | |
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| Whip-poor-will | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | T | - | - | d | - | - | - | - | My 8 | Ap 19 | c | - | |
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| Chimney Swift | - | My 10 | My 1 | - | - | - | f | - | My 9 | - | T | My 4 | Ap 24 | - | Ap 30 | Ap 22 | Ap 20 | Je 29 | Ap 18 | Ap 20 | c | 1 | |
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| White-throated | c | - | My 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Swift | | | My 25 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ruby-throated | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 29 | My 18 | - | p |
| Hummingbird | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Je 22 | | | |
| Belted | a | (P) | P | e | - | - | f | - | Ja 18 | h m | Ja 3 | (P) | k | Fe 3 | Ja 27 | P | P | Fe 13 | W | - | b | p |
| Kingfisher | c | | | | | | | | Je 15 | g T | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | - | S | | - | S | Je 30 | f | |
| Lewis Woodp. | b | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Red-headed | a | My 8 | My 17 | - | Ja 25 | x | - | Je 16 | My 7 | h M | My 4 | My 3 | K | My 4 | Ap* 6 | Ap 21 | My 11 | My 2 | Ap 15 | f | 1 | |
| Woodpecker | b | | My 26 | | Je 30 | | | | Je 16 | i | Je 30 | Je 30 | | Je 30 | - | S | Je 30 | - | S | - | S | p |
| Red-bellied | - | - | - | - | - | x | - | - | Ap 4 | - | - | P | (P) | - | P | Fe 17 | (P) | W | - | P | f | 1 |
| Woodpecker | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Mr 7 | | My 25 | | | | o | |
| Yellow-bellied | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 27 | Ap 13 | - | - | Ap 10 | - | - | |
| Sapsucker | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Ap 14 | | | | | | |
| Downy | - | (P) | P | - | Ja 4 | Y | - | - | W | - | h R | P | (P) | d | P | P | (P) | P | P | P | c | o |
| Woodpecker | | | | | Je 30 | | | | Ap 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | f | p |
| Hairy | B | (P) | P | - | - | x | - | - | W | - | h | - | P | (P) | - | P | P | P | P | P | f | - |
| Woodpecker | | | | | | | | | Mr 29 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern | a | (P) | P | - | My 15 | x | f | My 28 | Mr 22 | h A | P | (P) | K | P | P | (P) | P | P | P | P | c | 1 |
| Flicker | | | | | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | Je 23 | i | | | | | | | | | | | f | p |
| Pileated Wood. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 11 | - | - |
| Olive-sided F. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 17 | - | - |
| Western | a | My 25 | My 25 | d | Je 2 | y | - | - | - | - | - | My 18 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Wood-Pewee | B | | Je 27 | e | Je 30 | | | | | | | | | d | My 28 | - | My 20 | My 20 | Je 8 | My 4 | f | o |
| Eastern | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | B | - | - | - | Je 30 | - | Je 30 | - | S | - | S | p |
| Wood-Pewee | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Y-b Flycatcher | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 26 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Acadian Flyc. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Alder | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My* 8 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 6 | - | - | - | My 11 | - | - |
| Flycatcher | | | | | | | | Je 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | Je 12 | | |
| Willow | - | - | - | - | - | y | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 30 | - | Je 20 | - | NR | - | - | n | |
| Flycatcher | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Je 30 | | Je 22 | | | | | | |
| Least | c | - | My 25 | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 19 | - | - | - | My 1 | - | My 1 | - | My 4 | My 11 | My 10 | My 4 | - | 1 |
| Flycatcher | | | | | | | | | | | | | My 20 | - | My 20 | - | My 25 | My 25 | My 17 | My 23 | | |
| Eastern Phoebe | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 20 | - | - | - | Je 14 | - | Ap 14 | Ap 7 | Ap 7 | Mr 23 | - | Ap 4 | - | 1 |
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Inn for about two months around March. Mrs. Woodruff reported over 200 Cedar Waxwings in her yard 24 and 27 February. Lancaster, Lincoln, 179 + (8) species, Tanya Bray, Larry L. Finemann, Wm. C. Garthright, Paul and Karla Kaufman, Thomas E. Labeledz, Mabel B. Ott, Babs and Loren Padelford, reporters, Naomi Brill. A Lesser Scaup was reported on 2 January, and a Cooper's Hawk on 4 May. The Green-tailed Towhee was patronizing a feeder at Bob Manning's, near Raymond. Mrs. Ott wrote: "Purple Finches came to our bird feeder for the first time in February, 1966. Since then there have been Purple Finches in our yard every winter,

Lincoln, North Platte, 134 + (4) species, Mrs. A. B. Gunlicks,
anya Bray and Babs and Loren Padelford.

Mrs. Bassett winters in Arizona, and the earliest record is for 2 May, so that winter birds are not covered. The entry for the Alder Flycatcher has "Trall's" written by the printed title. The Black-headed Grosbeak is so reported on the basis of the description Mrs. Bassett furnished to the not-yet-official Review Committee. She prefers to call it an Audubon's (Black-headed) Oriole.

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| | 1 | Sioux | Bluff | 2 | Dawes | 3 | 4 | McPh. | coln | 5 | 6 | Hall | Adams | 7 | Boone | Polk | caster | dexs | Dakota | Sarpy | 8 | 9 |
| Tufted Titmouse | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 11 | - | - | - | My 31 | - | - | P | c | 1 |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | b | (P) | P | - | Fe 4 | x | - | - | W | - | h K | W | - | - | - | Fe 3 | Ja 1 | Ja 2 | Fe 16 | - | Ja 13 | - |
| White-breast. Nuthatch | b | (P) | - | - | Je 30 | x | - | - | Mr 18 | - | M | W | - | (P) | d | P | Ja 12 | P | P | P | Fe 23 | - |
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| Pygmy Nuthatch | c | - | - | - | Ja 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Brown Creeper | - | Ap 10 | Mr 13 | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 9 | - | - | W | - | Ja 1 | - | Fe 25 | - | Ja 1 | - | NR | W | - |
| | | | Mr 25 | | | | | | Fe 9 | | Ap 7 | Ap 18 | | My 5 | | | Ap 7 | | | My 4 | | |
| Rock Wren | a | Ap 21 | My 25 | - | - | - | f | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Bewick's Wren | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My*18 | - | - |
| House Wren | a | My 9 | My 4 | e | My 1 | x | f | - | My 8 | h | A | Ap 22 | Ap 18 | K | Ap 18 | Ap 20 | Ap 16 | Ap 20 | Ap 21 | Ap 13 | c | 1 |
| | B | | Je 29 | | Je 30 | | | | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | Je 30 | | Je 30 | - | S | Je 30 | - | S | - | S |
| Winter Wren | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 7 | - | - |
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| Sedge Wren | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 4 | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Marsh Wren | - | My 19 | - | - | - | y | - | - | Ap 27 | - | M | - | - | d | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Golden-crown. Kinglet | - | - | Ja 6 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 9 | - | Ja 1 | Mr 30 | Ap 9 | W | - | - |
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| Ruby-crowned Kinglet | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 2 | Ja 1 | - | Ap 6 | My 3 | Ap 4 | Ap 13 | Ap 9 | Ap 3 | c | - | |
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| Blue-gray Gnatcatcher | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 11 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 21 | - | Je 8 | Ap 20 | - | o |
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| Eastern Bluebird | b | - | - | - | Ap* 2 | - | - | - | Ja 4 | h | B | Mr 10 | - | - | Ap 6 | Mr 17 | Mr 2 | Mr 2 | My 4 | Ap*27 | c | 1 |
| | | | | | Je 30 | | | | Ja 12 | | | Je 25 | | | Je 30 | - | S | Je 30 | Je 9 | Je 8 | Je 22 | p |
| Mountain Bluebird | B | Mr 6 | Ap 7 | - | Mr 16 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Townsend's Solitaire | - | Mr 10 | W | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | W | - | - | - | - | Ja 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | Mr 16 | Ap 10 | | | | | | | | Mr 3 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Veery | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 6 | - | - | - | - | - | My 5 | - | My 19 | My 15 | - | - |
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Polk, Polk, 153 species and the possibility that there was an Eastern among the birds reported as Meadowlark sp., Norris Alfred, reporter, Tanya Bray, Ruth Green, Lennis Lind, Donna Loschen, Pat Miller, Lee Morris. Actually, the Red-necked Phalaropes were there earlier in the week, but the exact date wasn't given. The Forster's part is probable, but the Tern part is positive. A Red-headed Woodpecker was seen 1 and 11 January. There were no sightings of the Loggerhead Shrike between 11 January and 23 May. A flock of Red-winged Blackbirds was reported 27 January. Sarpy, see Douglas.

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| Gray-cheeked Thrush | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 3 | - | My 15 | My 3 | My 8 | - | My 4 | Ap 28 | - | - |
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| Swainson's Thrush | a | My 5 | Ap 29 | - | - | - | - | My 7 | - | - | - | - | Ap 24 | - | Ap 29 | Ap 28 | Ap 28 | - | Ap 27 | Ap 24 | - | - |
| | | Je 1 | My 25 | | | | | Je 10 | | | | | My 25 | | My 20 | My 3 | My 25 | | My 16 | My 24 | | |
| Hermit Thrush | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 8 | Mr*20 | - | - |
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| Wood Thrush | B | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 29 | - | - | - | - | - | My 21 | Ap 30 | Ap 4 | - | o |
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| American Robin | a | Mr 8 | P | d | Mr 3 | y | f | My 17 | Mr 16 | h | A | Mr 20 | Fe 21 | K | Fe 9 | W - | W - | P | Mr 9 | Fe 1 | c | l |
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| Varied Thrush | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 7 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Mr 30 | - | - |
| Gray Catbird | B | My 26 | My 22 | - | My 12 | - | - | My 3 | Je 30 | - | - | My 5 | My 7 | k | My 5 | My 18 | My 2 | My 11 | My 1 | My 1 | c | l |
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| Northern Mockingbird | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 2 | - | - | My 15 | - | - | - | My 4 | - | - | - | My 4 | d | l |
| | | | | | | | | | Je 12 | - | Je 24 | | | | | - S | | | | My 5 | p | |
| Brown Thrasher | a | My 11 | My 1 | e | Ap 27 | Y | f | My 6 | My 1 | h | T | Ap 19 | Ap 24 | d | Ap 27 | Ap 20 | Ap 3 | Ap 20 | Ap 22 | Ap 17 | c | l |
| | b | | Je 25 | Je 27 | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | Je 16 | I | Je 30 | Je 30 | Je 30 | Je 30 | Je 30 | - S | Je 30 | - S | - S | - S | f | p |
| Sprague's Pip. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | d | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Bohemian Waxw. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Fe 9 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cedar Waxwing | - | Je 2 | W - | - | Je 24 | y | - | - | Ap 2 | h | M | Fe 24 | Ja 30 | k | Fe 9 | W - | Ja 27 | P | My 4 | W - | f | l |
| | | | My 25 | Je 30 | | | | | My 9 | | Je 22 | My 18 | My 6 | My 23 | Je 5 | | | - S | Je 28 | | | |
| Northern Shrike | - | Mr 10 | NR | - | Ja 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Loggerhead Shrike | - | Ap 18 | My 6 | d | - | - | - | - | - | g | - | Ja 13 | Ap 24 | - | Mr 17 | W*- | Fe 9 | - | - | Fe 9 | - | l |
| | | | My 25 | | | | | | | | My 22 | | | Je 30 | My 23 | My 25 | | - | - | Ap 14 | p | |
| European Starling | a | (P) | P | e | My 13 | y | f | - | - | h | - | P | (P) | k | P | P | P | P | Ja 1 | P | c | l |
| | B | | | Je 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | - S | - S | f | p | |
| Bell's Vireo | - | - | - | - | - | - | f | - | - | h | M | My 1 | - | - | My 5 | - | My 6 | My 20 | Je 8 | My 18 | - | m |
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| Solitary Vireo | c | My 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 18 | - | - |
| Yellow-throat Vireo | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | NR | My 1 | - | p |
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| Warbling Vireo | - | - | My 17 | e | - | - | f | - | My 1 | - | - | My 3 | My 3 | k | My 16 | My 23 | Ap 29 | My 11 | My 4 | My 1 | f | l |
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Saunders, Morse Bluff, 111 species, Rev. T. A. Hoffman, reporter, Alice Rushion. The Woodcock was seen on a bird atlas survey, near Yutan, and an early flock of Bobolinks was seen in the same area 10 May. Father Hoffman wrote: "The little flock of about 25 Sandhill Cranes entertained us for about a day, moving about from field to field and feeding. For the first time in at least 6 years the Piping Plovers and Least Terns did not nest, not even an attempt as far as I could determine. On the other hand, the Eastern Meadowlark did nest in a nearby pasture for the first time, perhaps because it was not grazed for the first time. The dates for Great Blue Heron

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are deceptive. Herons were in the area from 23 February to 30 March; did not see them again until 30 June and 2 July. Likewise the two dates for Yellow-rumped Warbler, 7 January and 20 April, are the only two dates on which the bird was observed by me. Finally, conspicuous by their absence, were Pied-billed Grebe, Osprey, Bobwhite, Coot, Screech-Owl, Lark Sparrow, White-throated Sparrow, and Purple Finch. A general comment: over-wintering birds, especially finches and sparrows, seem to be in very short supply, in spite of a relatively mild winter." Father Hoffman will be teaching in New

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| Prothonotary Warbler | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | k | My 1 | - | - | - | - | My 4 | - | - |
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| Ovenbird | B | Je 1 | - | - | - | x | - | - | - | - | T | - | - | - | - | - | My 8 | 8 | - | Je 15 | Ap 29 | - 1 |
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| Northern Waterthrush | - | My 19 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 6 | - | - | Ap 28 | Ap 22 | - | My 1 | Ap 29 | - | - |
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| Louisiana Waterthrush | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 18 | - | - |
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| Kentucky Warbler | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 8 | Ap 29 | - | - |
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| Conn. Warbler | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Mourning Warb. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 28 | - | - | Je 9 | - | - |
| Common Yellowthroat | a | My 5 | My 23 | d | - | Y | f | - | My 28 | h | M | My 4 | My 8 | K | My 4 | My 23 | My 2 | My 11 | My 4 | My 1 | - | 1 |
| | c | | My 26 | e | - | - | - | - | Je 10 | g | Je 26 | Je 30 | Je 30 | Je 30 | Je 11 | Je 30 | - | S | - | S | - | p |
| Wilson's Warbler | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 16 | - | - | - | - | My 15 | - | - | - | - | My 8 | My 11 | - | - |
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| Canada Warb. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 23 | - | - |
| Yellow-breast. Chat | a | - | My 23 | - | - | x | f | - | - | h | - | My 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| | B | | Je 29 | | | | | | | | Je 24 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Summer Tanager | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 11 | - | 1 |
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| Scarlet Tanager | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 15 | - | - | - | - | - | - | My 8 | My 4 | - | - |
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| Western Tanager | B | My 25 | My 17 | - | My 24 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Northern Cardinal | - | - | My 27 | - | - | x | f | - | P | h | M | P | (P) | d | P | P | P | P | P | P | c | 1 |
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| Rose-breasted Grosbeak | - | My 26 | Je 7 | - | - | - | - | My 17 | Ap 12 | - | - | My 4 | My 3 | k | My 7 | My 3 | Ap 28 | My 11 | Ap 30 | Ap 29 | f | 1 |
| | | My 28 | | | | | | | | | | Je 26 | Je 30 | Je 30 | - | S | Je 30 | - | S | - | S | p |
| Black-headed Grosbeak | B | My 16 | My 7 | - | My 15 | - | - | Je* 7 | - | - | - | - | My 18 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | My 18 | | Je 28 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue Grosbeak | - | My 21 | My 14 | - | - | - | f | My x | My 31 | - | - | - | - | d | My 21 | My 26 | - | Je 15 | Je 3 | Je 3 | d | - |
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Zealand for a year, so Saunders Co. will be missing from the next two tabulations. Scotts Bluff, Gering, 142 + (2) + 2 NR species, Alice Kentz, reporter, Cash and Dorothy Adcock, Mary Ann Banghart, Joyce Brashear, Lydia Bolz, Sherry McCoy, Babs and Loren Padelford, Lynne Vacanti, and Nora Mae Vance. Mrs. Kenitz wrote: "On 29 March I saw a male Eurasian Wigeon on Cochran Lake, which is about a mile west of Melbeta. This bird was with a flock of American Wigeon, and the differences were very plain. I was quite close to them and could observe with both binoculars and spotting scope so

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| Lazuli Bunting | a Je 10 B Je 30 | My 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Indigo Bunting | b - | - | - | - | - | x | f | - | - | - | T | My 22 | My 25 | - | My 10 | Je 2 | My 5 | My 11 | My 4 | My 4 | f | 1 | | |
| Dickcissel | - - | - | - | - | - | - | f | - | Je 30 | - | M | My 22 | My 31 | - | My 15 | My 23 | My 2 | My 20 | Ap 28 | My*10 | f | 1 | | |
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| Green-tailed Towhee | - - | Mr 10 | - | - | - | - | - | - | Je 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | W*- | Mr 2 | - | - | - | - | |
| Rufous-sided Towhee | B Ap 21 Je 30 | Ap 22 | - | Ap 28 | x | - | - | My 10 | h | t | My 4 | W - | - | Ap 19 | My 5 | Mr 8 | Ap 13 | My 4 | Ap*10 | c | p | | | |
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| American Tree Sparrow | - Ap 1 | W - | - | Ja 1 | - | - | - | Ja 2 | - | - | W - | - | - | W - | W - | W - | Mr 2 | W - | W - | - | - | - | | |
| Chipping Sparrow | B Ap 28 | Ap 18 | - | Ap 7 | x | - | My 4 | Ap 4 | h | K | Ap 14 | Ja 1 | k | Ap 15 | Ap 28 | Ap 14 | My 11 | Ap 17 | Ap 8 | c | 1 | | | |
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| Clay-colored Sparrow | - Ap 28 | My 4 | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 22 | - | - | - | Ap 17 | - | My 5 | - | Ap 27 | My 11 | Ap 27 | My 4 | - | - | - | | |
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| Field Sparrow | - - | - | - | - | - | f | - | Ap 18 | h | K | My 4 | Ap 17 | d | My 4 | My 5 | Ap 6 | Ap 6 | Ap 11 | Ap 1 | c | 1 | | | |
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| Vesper Sparrow | B Ap 18 | My 4 | e | - | - | - | - | Ap 16 | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 7 | Ap 14 | Ap 6 | - | NR | Mr 31 | - | o | | | |
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| Lark Sparrow | B My 5 | My 1 | d | My 4 | Y | f | My 23 | Ap 18 | h | B | My 4 | - | d | My 28 | Je 2 | Ap 29 | - | My 4 | My 4 | c | 1 | | | |
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| Lark Bunting | a My 2 B Je 30 | My 5 | d | - | - | f | My 8 | My 9 | i | - | My 7 | - | d | My 29 | Je 8 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
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| Savannah Sparrow | - - | - | - | My 14 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 27 | Ap 13 | Ap 9 | - | Ap 27 | Ap 14 | - | - | - | | |
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| Grasshopper Sparrow | a My 10 c | - | d | - | y | - | - | Ap 19 | I | B | My 4 | My 3 | d | My 5 | My 26 | Ap 29 | My 11 | My 24 | My 2 | - | 1 | | | |
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| Henslow's Sparrow | - - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Le Conte's Sp. | - - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 13 | - | - | My 4 | - | - | | |
| Fox Sparrow | - - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 7 | Ap 6 | Ap 2 | Mr 17 | - | - | | |
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that I clearly saw the rusty-brown head with the cream-colored stripe running up the forehead and on the crown. A week later, 4 April, I returned to Cochran Lake and was finally able to spot the Eurasian Wigeon again, across the lake. I was using a spotting scope, but viewing conditions were poor because the wind was blowing so hard. I thought there might have been more than one, but because of the conditions I couldn't say for sure. I called a birder friend from Minnesota who was visiting in Gering and told him about the bird. He and his wife went the next day and did see it. He also thought

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| Song Sparrow | - | Ap 10 | Mr 26 | - | - | - | - | My 8 | Ap 6 | - | - | Ap 6 | Ap 24 | - | P | Fe 17 | Ja 1 | Mr 13 | Mr 27 | W - | c o | |
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| Lincoln's Sparrow | - | Ap 28 | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 18 | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 15 | Ap 28 | Ap 6 | Ap 20 | Ap 22 | Ap 20 | c - | |
| Swamp Sparrow | - | - | - | - | - | y | - | - | - | M | - | - | - | - | My 4 | - | My 2 | - | - | Ap 7 | - | |
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| White-throated Sparrow | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | W - | My 3 | - | My 2 | Ap 28 | Ap 12 | - | Ap 17 | Mr 24 | - | - | |
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| White-crowned Sparrow | - | Mr 10 | W - | - | Ap 18 | - | - | My 2 | My 6 | - | - | W - | Ap 24 | - | My 4 | Ap 21 | Ja 20 | My 11 | Ap 27 | My 17 | - | |
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| Harris's Sparrow | - | - | W - | - | - | - | - | My 6 | Fe 9 | - | - | W - | W - | - | W - | W - | W - | Mr 13 | Fe 11 | W - | - | |
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| Dark-eyed Junco | - | Mr 18 | W - | - | Ja 1 | - | - | - | W - | - | - | Fe 10 | W - | - | W - | W - | W - | W - | W - | W - | - | |
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| McCown's Longspur | a | Mr 25 | - | d | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Chestnut-col. Longspur | - | Mr 25 | - | d | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Bobolink | c | - | My 25 | - | - | y | f | - | My 9 | - | M | My 22 | - | - | My 4 | My 18 | My 25 | My*21 | My 24 | My 11 | - | 1 |
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| Red-winged Blackbird | a | (P) | Fe 17 | d | - | Y | f | My 2 | P | I | A | Fe 22 | Fe 28 | K | P | Ap* 6 | W - | Mr 2 | Mr 2 | W - | c 1 | |
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| Meadowlark sp. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ja 26 | P | P | - | - | P | - | |
| Western Meadowlark | a | Fe 15 | Mr 9 | d | Mr 27 | Y | f | My 2 | Mr 15 | I | A | Mr 19 | My 20 | K | Ap 19 | Ap 7 | W - | Ap 6 | Mr 9 | Ja 30 | - | 1 |
| | B | | Je 30 | e | Je 30 | | | Je 30 | Je 10 | | | Je 30 | Je 30 | Je 30 | Je 11 | Je 30 | - S | - S | - S | p | | |
| Yellow-headed Blackbird | - | Ap 19 | Ap 1 | e | - | y | f | My 2 | Ap 17 | - | M | Ap 25 | Ap 17 | - | Fe 23 | - | Ap 6 | - | Ap 20 | Mr 8 | - | |
| | | | Je 27 | | | | | Je 30 | Je 16 | | | | | | Je 30 | | Je 30 | - S | - S | | | |
| Rusty Blackbird | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 17 | - | Fe 3 | - | Ja 19 | - | Mr 27 | Ja 10 | - | |
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| Brewer's Blackbird | B | - | My 25 | - | - | - | - | - | Ap 11 | - | - | - | Ap 17 | - | Fe 23 | Ap 7 | - | - | Ap 13 | Mr 9 | a - | |
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there might have been more than one, but could not tell for sure. A visit to the lake a week later did not produce a sighting. On 25 May Audrey Barnhart and I were leaving Riverside Park in Scottsbluff, after members of our group had met for lunch during our annual Spring Bird Count. As we were driving past a couple of medium-sized trees (cottonwood and hackberry) I heard the voice of a bird that was familiar to me because I had heard it a week before while at Fontenelle Forest with an NOU field trip. The voice was identified as that of a Northern Parula by a number of people on the trip. Audrey

